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In re Patent Application of)
Etienne REGULIER *et al.*) Group Art Unit: 1632
Application No.: 09/762,573) Examiner: Liping Chen
Filed: February 8, 2001) Confirmation No.: 5075
For: COMPOSITION FOR)
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IN PARTICULAR AN)
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TREATMENT IN A MAMMAL)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in complete response to the Official Action dated December 16, 2003 (Paper No. 9). A one-month extension of time has been requested and the corresponding fee paid extending the time period of response until April 16, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

- A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- A Terminal Disclaimer and the [] \$55.00 (2814) [] \$110.00 (1814) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.
- Also enclosed is/are Submission of Formal Drawings (7 sheets; Figs. 1 and 7).
- Small entity status is hereby claimed.
- Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$375.00 (2801) [] \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- Applicant(s) previously submitted ___, on ___, for which continued examination is requested.
- Applicant(s) request suspension of action by the Office until at least ___, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.
- A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.
- No additional claim fee is required.

[X] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

A M E N D E D C L A I M S					
	No. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDT'L FEE
Total Claims	26	MINUS 23 =	3	× \$18.00 (1202) =	\$54.00
Independent Claims	1	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$84.00 (1201) =	-0-
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00 (1203)					280.00
Total Amendment Fee					\$334.00
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$334.00

[X] A claim fee in the amount of \$ 334.00 is enclosed.

[] Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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